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CHARTER MEETING A FROST; RAIN KNOCKS ATTENDANCE

Attorney Locke Says Objections to Charter by General Hart Are Bunk and Piffle Quotes Springfield Charter

The mass meeting called to discuss the proposed new city charter at Lincoln auditorium last night was considerable of a failure in that, as usual, the people did not turn out, there being but 25 men and one woman present. This was to some extent attributable to the inclement weather, but as only a light shower prevailed, the lack of attendance would seem to indicate considerable apathy on the part of the citizens.

General Hart was not present, being detained elsewhere on legal business. Attorney Locke of Alameda, who was the attorney for the freeholders in preparing the charter, was the only speaker, and he confined himself largely to the allegations as to defects pointed out by General Hart at a previous meeting.

Mr. Locke opened the meeting by reading from the Richmond News the proceedings of the last charter meeting at which many provisions of the proposed charter were severely criticised by General Hart. He quoted at length from the charter of Springfield, Ohio, which omits to define the limits and boundaries of the city, and said the claims that any court would hold such limits and boundaries to be under a new charter any different than they had always been under any charter was simply bunk and piffle.

He stoutly maintained that the new charter was not defective because the boundaries of the city were not defined therein, and as authority for that stated that the charter of Los Angeles was identically the same in this respect.

POWERS OF THE CITY.

The particular part of the new charter to which General Hart made his most earnest objection was that the powers granted to cities by legislative act when the charter was approved by the legislature was only covered in this instance by a general clause instead of many specific clauses, claiming special as well as general powers. To this Attorney Locke replied by again reading from the Springfield charter and also of Alameda, which claimed powers only in general terms and omitted all special powers which might have bene set forth specifically.

The speaker said that section 23 of the new charter covered every thing necessary as to street work. This also Gneral Hart had denied.

The speaker went on to say that Attorney Hart's claim that the city would be in grave danger of losing control of its water front under the proposed charted was very silly because the Supreme Court of this state had held that a new charter is merely a continuance of an old one, and no power granted a previous charter is lost because of a new one failing to specify the same. In proof of this he again quoted from the Los Angeles charter.

Attorney Locke further held that if special powers are set forth, courts hold cities down to such specifications, and that a general claim of powers is better. He said also that it was held by eminent authorities that to enumerate special powers is erroneous and merely superfluous verbiage, such specifying not being a benefit and may be a positive detriment. He therefore held that General Hart's objections were not valid. The speaker further said that the proposed charter was one of the best in California and had many splendid provisions.

A number of questions were asked the speaker and an early adjournment taken.

I. O. O. F. SURPRISED.

Local Odd Fellows, in session at Bank hall last night, got a little surprise last evening when a large delegaton from Zephyr and Richmond Rebeckah lodges dropped in on them after their business session was over. The ladies brought with them refreshments nad made the evening most enjoyable in many ways.

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FOR MR. WALKER.

Charles T. Walker was the guest of honor Wednesday night at a party given by Miss Hannah Iverson at 1328 Nevin avenue. A musical program, followed by a delicious chicken supper, served by the hostess, made the evening most enjoyable. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Pulse, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. G. Yonce, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lamoine, Mr. and Mrs. A. Christensen, Hiram E. Jacobs, Carl Lamoine, Frank Mello, Chas. T. Walker, Miss Lottie Marshall, Miss Ilva Standiford and Miss Bodel Iverson.

MUSICAL TREAT TONIGHT

At the Richmond Club this evening Mrs. Clinton B. Smith, wife of C. B. Smith of Smith & Crane, well known clothing merchants, will give a song recital. Besides possessing a soprano voice of exceptional purity and range, Mrs. Smith is a woman of great beauty and personal charm. She was the soloist of the 17th st. Methodist chorch in New York for five years, after which she was with the Century Opera company for two years with Walter Damrosch, premier operatic director. Mrs. Smith was a pull of Louis A. Espinal and Oscar Sanger. The appearance of Mrs. Smith is a society event. Those who have had the pleasure of hearing Mrs. Smith say that a rare musical treat is in store for those who have been fortunate enough to receive invitations.

SPREAD IT AROUND.

Editor of the News—Dear Sir: A cooking school is in operation at the Lincoln school. It is a good thing and I am for it strong. I think every young woman ought to learn to cook. There are a good many who can't.

It would be out of the question, of course, to do very much cooking without something to cook—such a flour, sugar, and many other articles in the line of provisions, to say nothing of seasoning, shortening, etc. I assume that the cost of these various articles is qute considerable. Just how much I am not able to say, as I have not as yet had the good fortune to furnish any of the merchandise. Whether I ever get an order or not, I am in favor of the cooking school just the same. I suggest, however, that the business ought to be spread around a little among the grocers and others, for we all pay taxes here and "every little bit helps."

Sincerely,

C. F. BECKHAUS.

ENJOYABLE WHIST PARTY.

The Civic Center club gave an enjoyable whist party Wednesday afternoon at Richmond Club. Mrs. John Gerlach was chairman of the occasion. Mrs. M. Shirtliff won first prize, Mrs. Jas. Arnold second, Mrs. Harry Hays third and Mrs. Silvester fourth. The ladies are to give a series of parties, commencing March 21, every two weeks, at their own club rooms at Twenty-third and Macdonald.

CHINETZ SPECIALS.

Max Chinetz of the Richmond Free Market, Seventh and Macdonald, has an announcement on page 4 of this issue that ought to nterest every housewife. For instance, he announces a special price of 4 cents a pound for Oregon and Nevada potatoes for Friday and Saturday. There are other interesting prices quoted also.

AUDITORIUM AND THEATER FOR THE CITY

The next thing is a municipal theater and auditorium. A petition calling or an electon to purchase a site and erect thereon a theater and public auditorium to cost around $100,000 is being circulated. Behind the petition are a number of business men, who are represented by Attorneys Calfee and Robenson.

They hope to secure 15 per cent of the signatures of the electorate, so that the proposition may be put on the ballot at the next regular election. It will require 25 per cent to call a special election.

Those who are circulating the petition declare that in no instances have they been turned down, and that there is a singular unanimity of opinion in favor of a proper auditorum and municipal theater building. The petition suggests five lots as a sufficient site, and calls for fronatge on Macdonald, Bissell or Nevin avenues, somewhere between Fourth and Fifteenth streets.

NEWS FROM THE POINT

Mr. nad Mrs. Richard Spiersch entertained at their home on Wednesday, the guest of honor being Miss Esther Carlson of Minneapolis. Mrs. Robini and Mrs. Van Dyck delightfully rendered several duets on piano and violin, and games were played to add to the gayety of the occasion. The winners at cards were Mrs. Raboni, Mrs. Thiel, Mr. Read and Mr. Schramm. Among the guests were Misses Edith Delph, Morre and Rasmussen; Mr. and Mrs. Thiel, Mr. and Mrs. Van Dyck, and Mr. and Mrs. Raboni of Oakland; Messrs. Schramm, Read and Mallard. The afternoon was most happily spent, the hostess serving delicious refreshments and giving the affair the touch of her personal charm.

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Twilight lodge, I. O. O. F., initiated C. E. Allen, cashier of Richmond Savings Bank, into the mysteries of the order this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tupper have moved from Pullman to their new home at 407 Santa Fe avenue.

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New machinery for the tire vulcanizing plant, 131 Richmond avenue, has been installed.

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J. T. Carr of Rverbank is visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary Carr of the Kosy this week.

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The ladies of the First M. E. church met yesterday at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. H. Childs on Washington avenue. There was a program and refreshments were served.

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Mrs. George Riggs entertained the Ladies of the Maccabees at her home yesterday. They did a lot of fancy work and partook of refreshments. There were present Mesdames Church, Stoddard, Theis, Grover, Ledgerwood, Martin, Woodworth, Carron, Matthews, Creason, Downs, Womberlich, Foster, Spare, Mahoney, Black, Laufler and Parker.

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A. C. Wright of Piedmont was a Point visitor yesterday, on business.

BUILDING PERMITS.

Building Inspector Wierda granted building permits yesterday as follows:

Mrs. Frank Porter, cottage on the west side of Seventh street, north of Lincoln, to cost $1000.

W. A. Jones, store and flat on Macdonald avenue, between Ninth and Tenth, to cost $5500. Architect Narbett.

California Wine Association, 11 cottages at Winehaven, to cost $15,000. Also warehouse to cost $15,000.

HIGH SCHOOL DOINGS

Positions for Students.

Mr. Madson of the commercal department announces that Elizabeth Ernst, a student in that department, has been given a position in the office of Kueffer & Co., real estate dealers.

Some weeks ago Edna Moore went into the office of City Architect Jas. T. Narbett, as a general office assistant.

The commercial department is demonstrating more and more the fact that it fills a real need in the community. Calls are constantly coming in for young people to fill positions in the local business firms and the results of employing high school commercial graduates have bene so uniformly satisfactory that the demand can hardly be met.

Spanish Club.

A meeting of the Spansh club, organized by Miss Myer, was held on Wednesday. Interesting reports on Argentina given in Spanish by meberes of the club were: Natural characteristics of the country, Orene Totten; History and Government, Margaret Collins; Important Cities, Wilma Miller; Characteristics of the People, Helen Cowan; The Campos and Gauchos (Herdsmen), Elwood Johnson; Chief Industries, Hazel McRacken; Railroads, Lurline Hitchcock.

The reports were followed by views of Argentina shown by means of the radiograph. Errol Lane and Gerald Follett conducted this part of the program.

CLERGY ADVISE SHARKEY.

The Ministerial Union of Richmond held a meeting yesterday at which a communication was drafted to be sent Senator Sharkey, asking him to get on the right side of the Anti-Saloon League's county unit bill, which he as a member of the committee on public morals signed a minority report against, with Senators Flaherty and Slater.

WHO CARES?

WASHINGTON, March 8.—The federal trade commission will not undertake the food cost investigation ordered by President Wilson because of the failure of Congress to appropriate the necessary money, it was announced today.

M. W. A. THEATER PARTY.

The Modern Woodmen, under whose auspices "The Ballet Girl," a seven-reel drama, will be shown at the Macdonald theater, near 12th street, tonight and tomorrow, are working hard and expect to pack the theater. The proceeds will go to the Maple Leaf social organization of the order.

BODY NOT RECOVERED.

The body of Frank Donnellan, drowned in San Pablo creek some time ago, has not as yet been recovered. Whether the body is covered by sand and debris in the creek or been washed into the bay, is a matter of conjecture.

GRAND JURY HOPS ONTO A NUMBER OF THINGS

Points Out Inefficient Methods of the County Officials and Recommends, Among Other Things, New Supervisoral Districts

The Loveridge Grand Jury rendered its report late Wednesday night and was discharged.

The inquisitorial body of the county found a good deal of fault, pointing out inefficient and lax methods, and a more or less helter-skelter way of handling the affairs of the county.

Probably the most important recommendation of the body was regarding the redistricting of the county in the matter of supervisorial representation. The resolutions of the body in that connection follow:

Whereas, the division of a county into supervisoral districts is primarily intended to give its various communities equal representation in the Board of supervsors, and

Whereas, the chasges in population centers since the last redistricting have made the present districting inefficient in giving proper representation in the Board of Supervisors, be it

Resolved, that it is the sense of this Grand Jury that the Board of Supervisors give careful consideration to the matter of redistricting Contra Costa county. This will remove the injustice of certain portions of the county which now exist by reason of their being inadequately represented in the Board of Supervisors.

A synopsis of the report follows:

District Attorney Johnston is criticized and directed to pay more attention to the duties of his office.

The suggestion was offered that County Probation Officer A. J. McMahon, who is agent for a Solano rock quarry which sells to the county, should not engage in such business.

Work prisoners on county roads to pay for their keep is advised. Sheriff Veale's administration of the jail is commended.

County Superintendent Hough's administration of the county hospital was given generous praise.

Charges are made that certain publishers in the county have "padded" their advertising bills by using larger than legal size type and that the officials have stood for the abuse.

It is recommended that hereafter the district attorney's office handle criminal matter without resorting to grand jury indictments which are expensive.

The auditing system adopted by the State Board of Control for handling county accounts is recommended.

That the construction of the county highways with concrete foundations should be continued throughout the county and that the county surveyor should be in direct charge of the work alone.

The supervisors are criticised for what is termed lax methods in drawing money from various funds without the proper classification of these funds.

That no fees be allowed to sheriff, constables, treasurer, clerks, etc., but that a flat salary be given to each office and that the fees go into the county coffers.

That county officials while on lobbying trips for salary raises, etc., at Sacramento and on "fraternal visits" should not draw upon county funds for traveling expenses.

DYNAMITING THREATENED.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 8.—Scores of anonymous letters telling of plots to dynamite the Oakland armory, cut off the Oakland water supply and destroy buildings in San Francisco have been received by U. S. District Attorney John W. Preston, since war threatened the United States, it was learned today.

The letters tell of plots to destroy Battery B armory, a plan to seize the Presdio and the bay forts and other operations. One of the letters stated that Santa Barbara would be the base of operations.

It is understood similar letters have been received by United States army officials and Don Rathbun of the department of justice.

ABOUT TIME.

WASHINGTON, March 8.—The sacred Senate prerogatve of limitless debate—the rule of 109 years—may pass into history within forty-eight hours, possibly sooner.

ARMED NEUTRALITY DELAYED.

WASHINGTON, March 8.—President Wilson's illness has delayed announcement of his decision on the everarmed merchantmen question.

Evidence increased today, however, that orders to Secretary Daniels providing for immediate arming of American merchant vessels will not be postponed much longer. It was stated by high government officials that the President has received assurances from legal advisors that he has the right and power to proceed with "armed neutrality" despite the Senate's failure to act on this measure officially.

IRISH ASK AID.

LONDON, March 8.—Members of the Irish party who last night forced to an issue in the House of Commons the question of home rule for Ireland, today issued a manfesto asking Irish-Americans and Americans generally to aid them in the movement.

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Editorial Comment

"BETTER BE SAFE THAN SORRY."

We attended the charter meeting last night, and was disappointed that so few attended, there only being twenty-five persons in the hall. This is about the usual thing in Richmond, however, at meetings of this character. The people are simply apathetic and do not care two cents whether a new charter is passed or not, or whether the old one remains or not, or whether the city has any charter at all. It is utterly impossible to get the people of Richmond to take any interest whatever in anything pertaining to the city's welfare, or their own welfare, unless it comes right down to a personal dollars and cents matter. At the primary election last fall only 20 per cent of the registered vote went to the polls. The other 80 per cent went to the movie picture shows. The meeting last night was for the purpose of education upon a very important and perhaps vital matter pertaining to the whole city and every resident and taxpayer in it, and there were twenty-five people present, out of a population of over twenty thousand.

There have now been held two meetings to discuss this proposed new charter, which the people are asked to vote upon on the 3rd of next month. At one General Hart, one of the best lawyers in the state, held that the new charter was defective and should be amended before submitting it to a vote of the people or to the State Legislature for ratification. These defects he pointed out in detail, and as he is considered high authority in such matters his opinions, being disinterested, are entitled to consideration. Especially did he dwell upon the failure of the new charter to provide for the special powers obtainable under California laws by legislative enactment relative to the city's control of its water front, in the absence of which the same passes to the state, as at San Francisco and other cities.

Attorney Locke of Alameda was the speaker at the meeting last night, and took just the opposite view, and after quoting at length from charters of Springfield, Ohio, and other cities throughout the United States, characterized General Hart's conclusions as "bunk and piffle."

We do not know enough about the technicalities of the laws relative to charters in this state to express an opinion regarding them, but we do know General Hart, and we do not know Mr. Locke, and we believe General Hart knows more charter law in a minute than Mr. Locke does in a month. And we may even be mistaken in this, but in the absence of evidence to the contrary will hold to the opinion for the present. Anyhow, there was nothing developed at the meeting last night to change it.

We believe this proposed new charter is defective, in that it fails to set forth the special powers desired, and especially so in regard to the control of the water front.

The fact that the charters of Springfield, Ohio, and Oskosh, Wisconsin, and Jimtown, Indiana, or some other town or city back East do not contain special clauses of powers may be a criterion for Richmond, and it may not. That would depend upon what the laws of those states were, and whether or not they were the same as the laws of the state of California, which is not likely.

We shall also hold that it is unprofessional, unethical, unkind and uncalled for for Mr. Locke to allude to General Hart's opinions as "bunk and piffle," and the same cannot be said to be overwhelming evidence of good sense.

We have nothing against the new charter, but Richmond cannot afford to take any chances in a matter as vital as this. If the charter is defective it can and should be remedied before being passed upon.

It is always better to be safe than sorry.

The Grand Jury now recommends that the county be redistricted as to supervisorial districts, so that proper representation shall be given each district. The News has been contending for this right along, but that is all the good it does. It takes a vote of the Board of Supervisors to bring this about, and they are too hidebound and selfish to so vote. Redistricting as the law contemplates would give Richmond two Supervisors on the board, and that is what Richmond should have, and has long been entitled to. However, if they do not do it, before long, legal steps will be taken by Richmond to compel them to do so. Richmond is going to get some of its rights from this county government or find out the reason why. This all-hog policy has gone entirely too far and has got to stop.

President Starr Jordan of the Stanford University is lecturing on the high cost of living. He might also throw in a few jolts while he is about it on the high cost of learning.

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NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of Tuolumne County, State of California, made on the 13th day of February, 1917, in the matter of said estate, the undersigned administrator of said estate will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash gold coin of the United States, and subject to confirmation by said Court, on SATURDAY, the 24th DAY OF MARCH, 1917, at 10 o'clock a. m. at the front door of the Court House in Sonora, Tuolumne County, California, all the right, title, interest and estate, of said deceased, at the time of his death, and all the right, title and interest that the said estate, by operation of law or otherwise, acquired other than or in addition to, that of the said deceased at the time of his death, in and to that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate in the County of Contra Costa, California, bounded and described as follows, to wit: All of lot two (2), block nine (9), of Martha Washington tract, of Richmond, in said Contra Costa County, California, as per official map of said lot and block, on file in the County Recorder's office of said Contra Costa County, with all improvements thereon.

Terms and Conditions of Sale: Cash gold coin of U. S.; 20 per cent of the purchase price to be paid the auctioneer, on day of sale, balance on confirmation of sale, by said Court. Deed at expense of the purchaser.

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Office of the Collector of State and County Taxes, Martinez.

Notice is hereby given that I have received from the Auditor of Contra Costa county the Duplicate assessment book for the fiscal year 1916-1917, and

That the taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on real property, will be due and payable on the

Third Monday in October, 1916,

and will be delinquent on the first Monday in December next thereafter, at six o'clock p.m., and that unless paid prior thereto fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the

Last Monday in April, 1917,

at six o'clock p. m., an additional five per cent will be added thereto. The remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the

First Monday in January, 1917,

and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April,

next thereafter, at six o'clock p. m., and unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

That all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

That payment of taxes must be made at the office of the Tax Collector, in the town of Martinez.

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"Working like a dog" is not working to amount to much.

A woman can get most any verdict she wants from a jury if she only cries wet enough.

Work hard and deny yourself while you are young, so that when you are old you may have things you cannot enjoy.

An agricultural exchange says hens need to be amused. One would think that eggs at a nickel apiece would tickle them to death.

Woman was made from man's rib. That's why she gave him a pain.

You might as well be good. The fun of being wicked is greatly exaggerated.

The grass widow who gets a bunch of alimony can give the early bird points on the game.

A vestal handmaid in ornate pulpit or poor Oriental prostrate before a basswood idol are on the right road if only obeying an honest belief.

There are 200 different brands of religious creeds, and still the world is at war. This, however, is not religion's fault, but man's cussedness.

President Wilson congratulated the campaign managers upon the grand victory for the people. If Mr. Hughes had won he would have done the same. It is gratfyng to know that whichever way an election goes, it is a grand victory for the people. They simply can't lose.

It is probably unjust to say that the politicians steal more than half the money collected as taxes. It is always well to be conservative. Half is likely about right.

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SYNOPSIS

Roberta, an orphan, half French, half American, starting for America to stay with an uncle, meets Count de Lasselles crossing to secure mules for France.

By a mistake, Roberta's uncle believes she is a nephew. Knowing him to be a woman hater, Roberta adopts man's attire.

Her uncle, General Carruthers, informs his supposed nephew that he needs his knowledge of French to straighten out a deal for providing mules for France. The governor's honor is involved in the mule deal.

Roberta pledges her aid and is introduced to Governor Faulkner and to his private secretary, Buzz Glendenning.

Mrs. Jeff Whitworth is deep in the mule scheme with her husband and endeavoring to get the governor's signature to the transaction.

Roberta accompanies the governor to the state prison, where he wishes to see a murderer. The latter attacks the governor, and Roberta deflects the blow.

Roberta discovers that the murderer has killed his man in defending a woman. She secures a statement from the woman.

She takes the statement to the governor, who gives her a letter announcing the imminent arrival of Count de Bourdon to sign the mule contract.

The count arrives. He is in the plot with the Whitworths to defraud the French government in the mule deal.

Roberta goes with the governor to a mountain district from whence news has come that a Frenchman is detained in captivity.

The captured man is Count de Lasselles, who recognizes Roberta through her disguise to her embarrassment and the governor's astonishment.

And when I had made a safe return to the hut with a small portion of the water only remaining in the bucket for the cause of many slides in the steep descent from the pool, I found my Gouverneur Faulkner and my Capitaine the Count de Lasselles engaged deeply in a mass of papers on the table between them and with no thanks to Roberta, the marquise of Grez and Bye, when she served to them tincups of the water and a liquid that I had ascertained by tasting to be of fire. I believe it to be thus that in affairs of business in the minds of men all women are become drowned.

"Will you write this out for his excellency, my dear mademoiselle?" would request my good Capitaine the Count de Lasselles.

"Thank you," would be the reply I received from the Gouverneur Faulkner of the state of Harpeth, with never one small look into my eyes that so be sought his.

And for all of the hours of that very long afternoon I sat on a low stool beside the feet of those two great gentlemen and served them in their communications while the heart in my breast was going into death by a slow, cruel torture.

The Heart In My Breast Was Going Into Death by Torture.

The exact meaning of those papers and words of business I did not know, but once I observed my Capitaine the Count de Lasselles throw down his pencil and look into the face of the Gouverneur Faulkner with a great and stern astonishment.

"The work of grafters, Captain Lasselles, with a woman as a tool. But I yet don't see just how it was that she worked it. My secretary of state, General Carruthers, and I have been at work for weeks, and we could not catch the exact fraud," made answer my Gouverneur Faulkner with a cold sternness.

"I was warned in Paris that beautiful American women were very much interested in the placing of war contracts, M. le Gouverneur. I fled upon a tugboat from the ship that I escape some for whom I had letters of introduction which I could not ignore."

"It was your capitaine, the Count de Lasselles, whom that Madam Whitworth sought upon the ship, Roberta," I said to myself.

"I think women are alike the world over, captain; and the discussion of them and their mental and moral processes is fruitless," answered my Gouvernor Faulkner as he again took up his pencil.

"When it happened to me to find the fragment of the letter to the lady of America from my false lieutenant, I had a deep distress that tenderness for the sufferings of poor France should fail to be in even one American woman's heart. And now I am in deep concern. Where am I to obtain the good strong mules by which to transport through fields heavy with mud the food to my poor boys in their trenches?"

"Right here, captain, I feel reasonably sure. I think I see a way to give you what you want at a better figure. And from it no man shall reap more than a just wage for honest work. As the governor of the state of Harpeth I can give you at least that assurance." And as he spoke my Gouverneur Faulkner looked the Capitaine the Count de Lasselles in the eyes with a fine honesty that carried with it the utmost of conviction.

"I give thanks to le bon Dieu," I said, with words that were very soft in my throat, but at which I observed the mouth of that Gouverneur Faulkner to again become as one straight line of coldness.

"Indeed, thanks to le bon Dieu, mademoiselle," made courteous answer to me my Capitaine the Count de Lasselles. "But how will you accomplish that purpose, M. le Gouverneur?"

"As soon as I've done with these figures I'll have in Jim, your jailer, and then you'll hear some things about the American mountain mule that you never heard before, I believe." As he spoke my Gouverneur Faulkner proceeded with making figures with his pencil, a fine glow of eagerness added to that of rage in his eyes very deep under their brows. "Now I'll go and call in Jim," he said after a few minutes of waiting and left the room in which I was then alone with my Capitaine the Count de Lasselles, who came to me with outstretched hands.

"Ah, Mlle. Roberta," he exclaimed, "I am in a debt of gratitude to you for bringing this great gentleman, your friend, to my rescue and also to the solving of this very strange situation concerning these contracts. Indeed have you accomplished the mission for which you enlisted—your 'friends for France.'

"But before procedure I must ask you, little lady, why it was that you made a vanishment from that hote in New York. I sought you there in vain, and it is a great ease to my unhappy heart to find you in the care of a family and friends. 'I make compliments on your costume of the ride. I also observe the custom of attire masculine to be on those plains of the great west where I bought the wheat."

"It is a great joy to me, mon capitaine, that you give to me your approval. Much has happened to me in these short weeks since you left me in loneliness on that great ship that I must tell to you." I said as a sob rose into my words.

"Poor little girl! It will not be many hours now before I can say to you the things that have been growing in my heart for you since that night upon the ship." he said to me in a great tenderness as he raised my hand and bent to kiss it just as entered the great Gouverneur Faulkner and the wild Jim.

I had not the courage to gaze upon the face of my Gouverneur Faulkner, but I felt its coldness strike into my body and turn it to hardness. For a second I stood as a stone; then a sudden resolve rose in me, and again that daredevil seized upon my thought. I took a piece of that white paper with caution and also a pencil and with them slipped from the room, while that wild Jim seated himself upon my lowly stool beside the table at which again the two great men were writing.

And out in the soft light that was now slowly fading from the side of the mountain because of the retirement of the sun I sat me down upon the step of the hut and wrote to my Gouverneur Faulkner this small letter:

"Honored Excellency the Gouverneur Faulkner of the State of Harpeth—I go from you into the trenches of France. If your humble boy Robert has done for you any small service, I beg of you in that name that my uncle, the General Robert, and my friends never know of my dishonor of lies about my woman's estate, but believe me to die as a soldier for France, as will be the case. Make all clear for me to my Capitaine the Count de Lasselles. It is that all women are not lies.

ROBERTA,
Marquise of Grez and Bye.

Then I left that letter upon the door step, held in place by the weight of a stone, and very softly slipped out into the shadows of the twilight and down the mountain by the path up which that morning I had come with my beloved Gouverneur Faulkner, then my friend.

(To be continued.)

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that sealed bids will be received by the Council of the City of Richmond, at the office of the undersigned Clerk of the City of Richmond, up to the hour of 8:00 o'clock p. m. of Monday, the 12th day of March, 1917, for the purchase, for not less than par and accrued interest, of "Improvement Bonds," numbered 1 to 89 inclusive, of the par value of Twenty-four Thousand Five Hundred Forty-six Dollars and Sixty Cents ($24,546.60), bearing interest at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum, on and after the 19th day of February, 1917, issued under and pursuant to Resolution of Intention No. 255-4, for the improvement of a portion of San Pablo Avenue, which said resolution contained the following: "And notice is hereby given that serial bonds to represent unpaid assessments, and bear interest at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum, will be issued hereunder in the manner provided by the Improvement Bond Act of 1915, the last installment of which bonds shall mature five (5) years from the second day of July next succeeding nine months from their date."

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check for not less than ten (10) per cent of the total amount of such bid.

The Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated this 20th day of February, 1917.

(Seal) A. C. FARIS,
Clerk of the City of Richmond.
Published Feb. 22-28, Mar. 6.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY DELINQUENT FOR NON-PAYMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENT BOND NO. 20, SERIES NO. 10, OHIO STREET, CITY OF RICHMOND, CALIFORNIA.

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of installments of principal and interest due on Street Improvement Bond No. 20, Series No. 10, issued under the "Street Improvement Act of 1893, approved February 27, 1893, dated the 20th day of July, 1911, and

WHEREAS, the holder of said bond has demanded in writing of the undersigned that he, as City Treasurer of the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, proceed to advertise and sell the lot or piece of land in said bond mentioned and hereinafter described, which bond was issued for street work done on Ohio street, in said City of Richmond, as shown on assessment diagram on file in the office of the Superintendent of Streets of said City, and authorized by Resolution of Intention No. 59 of the Council of the City of Richmond, passed May 2nd, 1910, and

WHEREAS, the unpaid remainder of the principal of said bond and the interest thereon, by reason of said default, are due, payable and delinquent.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that unless the amount of said bond and the interest due thereon, together with the cost of publication of this notice, are paid, I, the undersigned, as City Treasurer of the said City of Richmond, will, on Friday, the 23rd day of March, 1917, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 12 m. (commencing said sale at the hour of 10 a. m.) of said day, sell at public auction in my office, 420 Macdonald avenue, in said City of Richmond, to the bidder offering to pay the amount due on the bond with costs for the least portion of the said lot or piece of land mentioned in said bond and described as follows, to wit:

Lot number Seventy (70), block "A," as delineated and so designated upon that certain map entitled, "Santa Fe," filed in the office of the Recorder of Contra Costa County, State of California, on March 17th, 1906.

The name of the owner of said lot or piece of land is "Unknown."

The amount due on said bond for principal is $19.17, and for interest thereon, up to said date of sale, is $0.67.

This notice shall be published two weeks in the Richmond News, a newspaper of general circulation, published in said City of Richmond, which said newspaper is hereby designated by the undersigned as the newspaper in which this notice shall be published.

J. R. VAUGHN,
City Treasurer of the City of Richmond, Cal.
Dated March 2, 1917.
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Last publication March 20th, 1917.
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NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY DELINQUENT FOR NON-PAYMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENT BOND NO. 19, SERIES NO. 10, OHIO STREET, CITY OF RICHMOND, CALIFORNIA.

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of installments of principal and interest due on Street Improvement Bond No. 19, Series No. 10, issued under the "Street Improvement Act of 1893, approved February 27, 1893, dated the 20th day of July, 1911, and

WHERAS, the holder of said bond has demanded in writing of the undersigned that he, as City Treasurer of the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, proceed to advertise and sell the lot or piece of land in said bond mentioned and hereinafter described, which bond was issued for street work done on Ohio street, in said City of Richmond, as shown on assessment diagram on file in the office of the Superintendent of Streets of said City, and authorized by Resolution of Intention No. 59 of the Council of the City of Richmond, passed May 2nd, 1910, and

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Lot number Seventy-one (71), block "A," as delineated and so designated upon that certain map entitled, "Santa Fe," filed in the office of the Recorder of Contra Costa County, State of California, on March 17th, 1906.

The name of the owner of said lot or piece of land is "Unknown."

The amount due on said bond for principal is $18.22, and for interest thereon, up to said date of sale, is $3.35.

This notice shall be published two weeks in the Richmond News, a newspaper of general circulation, published in said City of Richmond, which said newspaper is hereby designated by the undersigned as the newspaper in which this notice shall be published.

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LIVE LOCAL LACONICS WITH SANDPAPER EDGES

By the OLD MAN.

Having taken an auto ride out to the new dam six miles up Wildcat creek yesterday and then attended the charter meeting until late last night, this department will have to be pruned down a trifle. We will write you all about the dam tomorrow and it is very interesting.

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Attorney Grady says all the Richmond newspapers are close relatives to Mr. Ananias, whoever he is, and that his dago saloon keeper clients have not as yet been ordered deported by the federal government. All right, Grady, a stay of execution is granted until next week.

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President Pownell of the Community Club has a very large grouch because we intimated that he couldn't spell cat, and as he was in here and spelled the word and actually spelled it right, we will have to stand corrected.

UNCLE JED'S RAMBLES

BY BILL.

I'll be gol dinged ef it don't beat all. Jest as onions goes down up comes flour. Durned ef I ever see things so high. I swan, I guess we'll hev to fall back on corn meal. I see that Chinets is a-goin' t' sell taters at 4 cents a pound, though, and I guess Mary and me'll have to git a couple.

◆◆

Waz ye to the band concert t'other night? Them Municipal Band felers can play like all git out. I bin whistlin' them there tunes ever since I went to it. And that little Carrie Ellsworth. She's the alfredest purtiest, gracefulest dancer that I ever did see. I bin a tryin' some o' them steps, but Mary says I'm about as graceful as a brindle calf. I was watchin' that feler playin' a horn he kept slidin' in and out, trying' to git it where he wanted it. But he couldn't do it, dinged if he could. Why in tarnation don't he git his horn fixed?

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I see they's talk of havin' another city hall. Wall, I was talkin' to Mary about it, and she sez as fer as she was concerned, they could hev all the city halls they wanted. I sez I thought we ought to have a fine big buildin' to show folks when they come a-visiting. She said she guessed folks wanted to be shown somethin' 'sides buildin's. I told her I liked to pay my taxes in some sizable place. But she said if I liked payin' taxes it was a new one on her. Some wimmin can't never say nothin' pleasant.

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I'm a-goin' to that ball game between the Cubs and the Richmond nine if I have to look through a knothole. I kin remember way back about forty year when I was the best gol dinged player in these parts. I knocked the ball so durn fer one time thet when they got to it the cover was rotted off.

AT THE POINT THEATER

Often the most devoted mothers, inspired by the belief in their own views being for the betterment of their children, interfere in both the little and great problems life presents to their sons and daughters.

This theme has been employed in building the true-to-life human-interest story, "The Dancer," picturized at the American-Mutual studios in a two-act drama. Vivian Rich and King Clark have been cast for the roles of the young couple who are separated through the interference of the husband's mother, which exacting part is ably undertaken by Louise Lester. George Periolat and Margaret Nichols also figure in the plot, making the most of their portrayals.

At the Point theater today.

OFFICIAL VISIT.

Mrs. S. Gnaga, district deputy grand matron of the Sixteenth district, officially visited Oakley Chapter last night, and tonight she will visit Richmond chapter.

Mrs. George B. Swift of Newkirk, Oklahoma, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Clinton B. Smith of this city. Mrs. Swift is accompanied by her mother, Mrs. A. B. Beach of Ottawa, Kansas. Thus three generations are under one roof.

A. A. Poage left last evening for New Mexico on account of the severe illness of his aged father there.

CALVARY FOOD SALE.

The ladies of Calvary Baptist church will conduct a food sale at Schrader's furniture store Saturday. The sale will start at 10 o'clock. Mrs. Woods and Mrs. Trivette will be in charge. Cakes, pies and other good things to eat will be there for the hungry.

NEW STATIONERY FIRM.

A new book and stationery firm is about to open up in Richmond, at the place vacated by the Hawley Piano Company—917 Macdonald avenue. The firm is Eberhart & Co. They will carry a full line of office supplies and do a general stationery business.

CLERKS' UNION MOVES.

The Retail Clerks' Union, which formerly met at Pythian Castle, has moved its meeting place to Polytechnic hall, and held its first meeting there last night. There was a large attendance, and considerable business of importance was accomplished.

LABOR WHIST PARTY TONIGHT.

Tonight the Central Labor Council and the Building Trades Council will give a whist party at Polytechnic hall. There will be a grocery order for $1.50 for every three tables. Tickets will be 25 cents.

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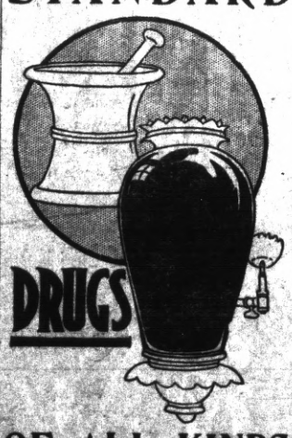

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ASSESSOR'S NOTICE

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

All persons, firms, companies, corporations and associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's Office, Martinez, immediately, a statement under oath of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession, or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian, on

FIRST MONDAY OF MARCH, 1917,

in accordance with the new constitution. Refusal or neglect to make such sworn statement of all property owned or held in trust, will subject the person so refusing or neglecting to make such sworn statement to the full penalty of the law.

All property owners should see that their property is correctly described on the assessment roll.

Immediate attention is necessary, as work on the roll has already been commenced. Proper blanks may be had at the Assessor's office, or at the Richmond Branch of the County Assessor's office, 420 Macdonald avenue.

All statements must be in the Assessor's office on or before the first day of May, 1917.

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In the matter of the estate of Theresa Goulart, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Theresa Goulart, deceased, to the creditors of, and to all persons having claims against said decedent, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Contra Costa County, State of California, or to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, to the said administrator, at the office of Will S. Robenson, 707 Macdonald avenue, Richmond, Cal., the same being designated as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate, within ten months after the first publication of this notice.

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